SEPTEMBER 22, 2021

Crusader Chronicles

Good Shepherd Catholic School

Principal's Message- *In Psalm 116:12 we pray, "How can I repay the Lord for all the great good done for me?" For those who attended Catholic school or have sent or send their children to Catholic school, this prayer resonates with them. So many blessings are recounted and remembered with fondness about Catholic school education.*

On the weekend of September 25-26 in all parishes and among all benefactors of Catholic schools, the Share in the Spirit Collection will be held. Funds raised from this collection are used exclusively for tuition assistance at parish and diocesan schools throughout the Diocese of Wilmington. For the 2021-2022 school year $885,000 was distributed in tuition assistance to 363 families to support them in educating their children in Catholic schools.

This upcoming weekend is an opportunity to "repay the Lord for all the great good done" for so many people in the past, now, and for future generations.

Golf Tournament

We still need volunteers!

Work off your volunteer hours at our fundraising events. Our first opportunity of the year is the golf tournament. Use the link below to find the sign up genius page.

goodshepherdschool.net/signupgenius

Family Night at Greene Turtle

Tomorrow Night- September 23rd

The Hollywood Casino Greene Turtle supports Good Shepherd. 20% of sales from 11am-midnight, eat in or carry out, on Thursday, September 23rd will go to Good Shepherd. Don't forget your flyer! Call the school if you need one. 410-642-6265

Grandparent's Day

September 24th- 9am

In an effort to bring grandparents to our school in a safe way we will be hosting a mostly outdoor event. Grandparent's are asked to bring a lawn chair. We will have refreshments and each class will share something special. Grandparent's will have the opportunity to visit the Book Fair and tour classrooms so make sure they have a mask! Dismissal will be at noon that day.

Lego Club

CALLING ALL YOUNG BUILDERS!

Good Shepherd Catholic School is looking for members for their FIRST Lego League Explore teams, the League of Creative Crusaders. The FIRST Lego League Explore Division introduces science concepts and teamwork to children in grades 1-4. If your child loves LEGOS, science, building, and discovering then please consider having he or she become a member of the League of Creative Crusaders for our sixth year! **We have limited spots with preference given to our previous team members.** If your child is interested, please email Joy Cox at joyginter@gmail.com with your child's name, age, and grade.

ARE YOU INTERESTED IN ROBOTICS?

Good Shepherd Catholic School will be participating for its 4th year in the FIRST Lego League Challenge Division. The FIRST Lego League fosters imaginative thinking and teamwork. A team of students in grades 5-8 research a real-world problem and are challenged to develop a solution. Their solution must include a robot built and programmed by themselves. https://www.firstinspires.org/robotics/fll/what-is-first-lego-league If your child is interested, please email Joy Cox at joyginter@gmail.com with your child's name, age, and grade.

Golf Tournament

This Weekend

There is still time to sponsor a hole or sign up to play. Our annual golf tournament is this Saturday, September 25. We invite parents or friends of Good Shepherd to sponsor a hole or put together a foursome. Use the link below to access the digital form for sponsorships or player registration or call the school office at 410-642-6265. All money raised at the tournament goes directly to Good Shepherd Catholic School!

goodshepherdschool.net/golf

FSO Spirit Wear Store

Order Now! Store closing soon.

Our spirit wear store will be open through September 23. Order from an extensive selection of youth, women, and men styles as well as accessories. Items can be picked up at school or delivered to your home.

Spirit Wear Store Link

High School Information

8th grade students

The Diocese of Wilmington will administer the HSPT at our diocesan and parish high schools (Padua Academy, Saint Elizabeth High School, Saint Mark's High School, and Saints Peter & Paul High School) on ***Saturday-Sunday, November 13-14***. Registration will open ***Tuesday, September 7***. The HSPT registration process must be completed online through Scholastic Testing Services, Inc., at http://wilmington.stsusers.com.





7th Grade students sketch while 5th grade creates 3 dimensional art.

Family Movie Night

Friday October 8th

To vote for movies we are collecting donations for the displaced flood victims in Rising Sun. Students can vote for which movie we should play at Family Movie Night by bringing in donations and placing it in the bucket corresponding to the movie they want to see. The four movie choices (all Disney) are Onward, Soul, Luca, or Raya and the Last Dragon. Donations will be collected through September 30th in the morning or during lunch. Our movie winner will be announced on Friday October 1st.

Upcoming Events

9/23/21	Family Night at the Greene Turtle
9/24/21	1/2 Day of School- Noon Dismissal
9/24/21	Grandparent's Day
9/25/21	Golf Tournament
9/27-10/8	Renaissance Testing
10/1/21	No School- Teacher Retreat
10/4/21	Blessing of the Animals
10/5/21	FSO Meeting
10/8/21	Fall Picture Day
10/8/21	1st grade prayer service
10/8/21	FSO Family Movie Night
10/11/21	No School- Fall Break
10/14/21	1/2 Day of School- Conferences
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Good Shepherd Catholic School develops successful students with the support of the entire community. Our students reach their maximum academic and personal potential in a safe and nurturing environment, leading them to be people of faith, socialization, and character through study and service.